DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi	13·40	17·01	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort		9·20	

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi and paddy, yield 12 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are in good condition, but "foot and mouth" disease is prevailing here and there. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for cultivation of sugar cane in parts of the Magadi Taluk, and milling of sugar cane is going on in parts of the Bangalore, Magadi, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Castor in parts of the Kankanhalli Taluk and sugar cane in parts of the Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Hoskote Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks, yield from 6 to 8 annas, 8 to 16 annas, 16 annas, 8 annas and from 4 to 10 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and in Closepet town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks, except parts of Bangalore, where "foot and mouth" disease is said to be prevailing. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for paddy cultivation in the Goribidnur Taluk. Sowing in the Chintamani, Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta Taluks and weeding in the Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks are going on.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks; sugar cane in the Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks, and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, and turmeric in the Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Sugar cane in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar Gold Fields in the towns of Kolar, Mulbagal and Chikballapur and in some villages of the Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth" disease in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Is good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere and fair in Tumkur, Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada.

Crops sown.—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere and sugar cane in Gubbi and Kunigal.

Crops harvested.—

Paddy in Sira and Kunigal.

Togari in Sira and Pavagada.

Castor in Sira and Pavagada.

Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada.

Sugar cane in Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere.

Horse gram in Pavagada.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Taluks of Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal and the Sub-Taluk of Turuvekere, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mysore, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpet Taluks.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops harvested.—Bengal gram and sambar in parts of the Yedatore Taluk; ragi in parts of the Malvalli Taluk; and sugar cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks, and *via* French Rocks Sub-Taluk, measles in parts of the Mysore Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Yedatore Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Are reported to be in good condition as follows:—

Hassan Taluk—Sugar cane, onion, garlic and potatoes.
Manjarabad Taluk—Kode paddy.
Channarayapatna and Belur Taluks—Sugar cane.
Arsikere Taluk—Paddy, Bengal gram, castor and sugar cane.
Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Sugar cane, fenugreek and Bengal gram.
Alur Sub-Taluk—Sugar cane.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—The following are being harvested:—
Arkalgud Taluk—Bengal gram.
Channarayapatna Taluk—Sugar cane, yield about 12 annas.
Arsikere Taluk—Bengal gram.
Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Sugar cane and Bengal gram, yield about 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapetna Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in parts of the Dudda hobli of the Hassan Taluk, where "foot and mouth" disease is said to be prevailing and for which, it is reported that preventive and curative measures are being adopted. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing in parts of the Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; sugar cane planting in parts of the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and manuring of arecanut trees in the Sagar Taluk are being carried on.

Standing crops.—The following are said to be in good condition :—

Shikarpur—Sugar cane and castor.

Sorab—Bengal gram, green gram and black gram.

Sagar—Kar paddy.

Crops harvested :—

Shimoga—Bengal gram.

Channagiri—Sugar cane.

Honnali—Wheat, Bengal gram, sugar cane, and Yennigar jola.

Sorab, Sagar and Nagar—Sugar cane.

Kumsi Sub-Taluk.—Sugar cane milling is reported to have been completed.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Shimoga Taluk, in Maravalli (Shikarpur Taluk) and Balekoppa (Kumsi Sub-Taluk), public health is generally good.

12. Except for "foot and mouth" disease in Kunihosur in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of lands in Chikmagalur and planting of sugar cane in Koppa are going on.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition :—

Chikmagalur—Kar paddy, castor, wheat, sugar cane, Bengal gram, fenugreek, garlic and onions.

Kadur—Sugar cane, wheat, castor and Bengal gram.

Tarikere—Cotton, wheat, Besige jola, sugar cane and Bengal gram.

Koppa—Pepper.

Yedahalli and Sringeri—Sugar cane.

Crops harvested.—

Chikmagalur—Avare, sugar cane, castor, togari and Bengal gram

Kadur—Bengal gram, castor and sugar cane.

Koppa, Yedahalli and Sringeri—Sugar cane.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague and small-pox prevailing in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as paddy, chillies, sugar cane, wheat, jola and Bengal gram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy, jola, Bengal gram and wheat in the Jagalur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Bengal gram in the Challakere and Holalkere Taluks, yield 8 annas; chillies, castor and cotton in the Challakere Taluk, yield 8 annas; jola in the Holalkere Taluk, yield 8 annas; ragi and navane in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield from 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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